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FOR: COMPOUNDS HAVING RETINOID-LIKE ACTIVITY

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated February 26, 2004 finally rejecting claims 1,2,3, and 5.

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